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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

My family and I are currently lucky to even afford this service. You want to add more money to your pockets. Instead of worrying about us the little people and taking more of our money. Why not go after the people who have the money? Instead of hurting the working class people of the U.S. My husband just got laid off from a job of 15 yrs and is currently having to restart all over. You want to take more money away from my child so that she might not be able to play soccer, participate in school activities etc. You are surely one of the people whom can afford to lose a dollar a month, I assure you my family is not one of those. The twelve dollars I will lose for the year is a weeks worth of school lunch and breakfast for my 5 yr old. So when you think it ain't a big deal IT IS. Think of it as taking food from the struggling class of americans. Who by the way work hard and do deserve to have a wireless service for emergency needs.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. G. Fleming  
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